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## Title:

Method and Device for  
Performing Cooling- or  
Cryo-Therapies for e.g.,  
Angioplasty with Reduced  
Restenosis or Pulmonary  
Vein Cell Necrosis to Inhibit  
Atrial Fibrillation

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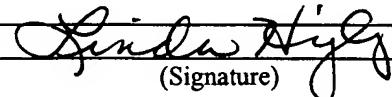
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